District Judge Daybook Entry

United States District Court - Southern District of West Virginia at Charleston

Date: 5/21/2015   Case Number 2:15-cr-00059

Case Style: USA vs. Gary Brian Adams

Type of hearing Plea Hearing

Before the honorable: 2515-Johnston

Court Reporter Ayme Cochran   Courtroom Deputy Staci Wilson

Attorney(s) for the Plaintiff or Government Steven Loew

Attorney(s) for the Defendant(s) Lex Coleman

Law Clerk Andrei Popovici   Probation Officer Matthew Lambert

Trial Time

Non-Trial Time

Plea Hearing

Court Time

10:08   to 10:29
Total Court Time: 0 Hours 21 Minutes Non-Trial Time/Uncontested Time

Courtroom Notes

Scheduled Start 10:00 a.m.
Actual Start 10:08 a.m.

Defendant present in person and by counsel.
Defendant placed under oath.
Court finds Defendant competent to go forward.
There is no plea agreement in this case.
Defendant waives reading of Indictment.
Court reads statute with which Defendant is charged.
Defendant advised of elements of offense which Government would have to prove at trial.
Defendant advised of the penalties which may apply based upon the plea.
Defendant advised of right to plead not guilty, to remain silent, and to stand trial.
Court asks Government to provide factual basis for the plea.
Government calls Josh Honaker; oath given.
Direct by Mr. Loew.
Cross by Mr. Coleman.
Court calls upon Defendant to enter a plea.
Defendant pleads guilty to Count One of the Indictment, and executes written guilty plea form.
Court finds Defendant is competent and capable of entering an informed plea.
Court finds Defendant's plea to be voluntary.
Court finds that Defendant understands the consequences of the plea.
Court finds that Defendant understands the rights being given up.
Court finds sufficient factual basis for Defendant's plea.
Court accepts plea.
Court defers adjudging Defendant guilty until the time of sentencing.
Defendant remanded pending sentencing.
Sentencing set for August 27, 2015, at 2:00 p.m.
Court recessed at 10:29 a.m.

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